

8/13/63

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (162-777)
FROM: SAC, MILWAUKEE (162-49) (P)
SUBJECT: WILLIAM COVELLI, aka
IGA
OO: MILWAUKEE

WEEKLY SUMMARY AIRTEL

No pertinent information has been received relating to the alleged abduction of WILLIAM COVELLI 6/7/63. PCIs and informants contacted reflect that there is no current discussion about alleged abduction of Subject.

On 8/2/63 [redacted] advised SA JOHN H. GASSAWAY that [redacted] (MI file 166-37) is making a great many trips to Kenosha, Wis. to see [redacted] COVELLI and seems to be a go-between for the Kenosha and Milwaukee outfit boys. Informant also stated that he knew nothing concerning the activities of [redacted] while [redacted] was in Milwaukee testifying for the Federal Grand Jury 7/16/63 as informant was [redacted]

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① - Milwaukee
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8/26/63

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (162-777)
FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (162-49)-P
SUBJECT : WILLIAM COVELLI, aka
IGA

OO: Milwaukee

Re Milwaukee airtel to Bureau, 8/19/63.

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WEEKLY SUMMARY AIRTEL

On 8/23/63 [redacted] PCI. advised that she was talking with subject on 8/21/63 [redacted] in Kenosha and made a remark about [redacted] COVELLI stated that he had been invited by [redacted] but had turned the offer down. COVELLI then commented to informant that [redacted]

Informant advised that COVELLI has discontinued his cabaretting and is currently [redacted]

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MI 162-49

1963 Wisconsin license E84-821, which is registered to the Kenosha Vending Company (WILLIAM COVELLI) parked in the driveway at JOHN RIZZO's home, 1918 Emmertson Road, Racine County, Racine, Wisconsin. Detective [] stated that there were no other vehicles in the area and he saw no activity outside the RIZZO home.

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Detective [] also advised that he observed a Cadillac, gray over white, 1963 Wisconsin license L64-400 in Racine, Wisconsin on Monday, August 26, 1963. This car is registered to SAM FORGIANNI (phonetic), an alleged partner of WILLIAM COVELLI in the Alpha Realty Co., Kenosha, Wisconsin.

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AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

On August 21, 1963 MI T-6 advised that []

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On August 13, 1963 MI T-5 advised that he has heard very little concerning COVELLI or RIZZO but he does know that they have not reopened any form of gambling operation in Kenosha.

On September 10, 1963 MI T-5 advised that he had not heard that COVELLI, accompanied by [] all of Kenosha, had stayed with WILLIAM COVELLI at the Red Carpet Inn near General Mitchell Air Field, Milwaukee, on the night of Sunday, August 25. MI T-5 advised that he knew nothing about the purpose of this trip.

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AT KENOSHA, WISCONSIN

On September 20, 1963 night supervisor and also Criminal Deputy [] Kenosha County Sheriff's Office,

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Milwaukee (162-49)

DATE: 10/10/63

✓ FROM : Director, FBI (162-777)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM COVELLI, aka
IGA

Rerep of SA [redacted] dated 10/7/63.

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It is noted that on the characterization page
MI T-6 is identified as [redacted]

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[redacted] Score appropriate error.

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*Amended
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DIRECTOR, FBI (162-777)

10-15-63

SAC, MILWAUKEE (162-49) (P)

WILLIAM COVELLI, aka
IGA

Re report of SA [redacted] dated
10-7-63 at Milwaukee.
Bureau letter to Milwaukee dated 10-10-63.

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Enclosed for the Bureau is an amended characterization

[redacted]

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 - ① - Milwaukee (162-49)
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RECORD OF INFORMATION FURNISHED OTHER AGENCIES

Orally 12-6-63 By Telephone _____ Written Communication _____
date date date

Information concerning:

WILLIAM C. COVELLI

Information furnished from File, Serial, and Page Number:

162-49-2

Information furnished was obtained:

☒ during course of Bureau investigation☒ from informants☐ from complainants or other sources

Information furnished to:

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Remarks:

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[Signature]

KENNETH T. BROWN

Special Agent

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